SEC. 3. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1939.

Approved May 3, 1939.

## CHAPTER 463.

## (House Bill 338)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 335 of Offutt's Code of the Public Local Laws of Baltimore County, Title 29, "Health and Sanitation", sub-title "Baltimore County Metropolitan District", as the same was repealed and re-enacted by Chapter 186 of the Acts of 1937, changing the time when interest shall be charged on unpaid annual assessments.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Section 335 of Offutt's Code of the Public Local Laws of Baltimore County, Title 29, "Health and Sanitation", sub-title "Baltimore County Metropolitan District", as the same was repealed and re-enacted by Chapter 186 of the Acts of 1937, be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

335. For the purpose of paying the interest and providing the sinking fund for the bonds issued by the County Commissioners, as hereinafter provided for the water supply, sewerage and drainage systems to be constructed, purchased or established under this Act, the Commissioners are hereby empowered and directed to establish a proper and reasonable charge for connection with said water supply, sewerage and drainage systems so to be constructed, purchased or established as aforesaid, and to fix an annual assessment on all properties, improved and unimproved, binding upon a street, road, lane, alley or right-of-way in which a water main, sewer or drain has been built. The said annual assessment shall be made upon the front foot basis, and the first payment shall be collectible during the year that the construction is started on the water supply, sewerage or drainage system, or in which the systems are purchased or acquired. And interest at the rate of one-half of 1% per month shall be charged on all said annual assessments remaining unpaid on June first after said annual assessment shall be due and payable. Commissioners, for the purpose of assessing benefits, shall divide all properties fronting upon a street, lane or alley, in